

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/031839-2022>

Contract

## **Supply & Delivery of Library Books and Textbooks**

Scotland Excel

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-031839

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02c91e

Published 10 November 2022, 1:33pm

### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Scotland Excel

Renfrewshire House, Cotton Street

Paisley

PA1 1AR

#### **Email**

[Education.Corporate@scotland-excel.org.uk](mailto:Education.Corporate@scotland-excel.org.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM - Scotland

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.scotland-excel.org.uk>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10383](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA10383)

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

---

## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Supply & Delivery of Library Books and Textbooks

Reference number

0921

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 22110000 - Printed books

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

A renewal framework for the Supply & Delivery of Library Books and Textbooks. The scope of products covered under the framework will include but not be limited to, fiction

books, non-fiction books, foreign

language/reference books, general books, audiobooks, large print books and textbooks, for provision into Public Library and School establishments throughout Scotland.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £56,000,000

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Adult Fiction and Non-Fiction Books

Lot No

1

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22130000 - Directories
- 92511000 - Library services
- 79980000 - Subscription services

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Adult

Fiction and Non-Fiction material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the “0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT” document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Children's Fiction and Non-Fiction Books

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22113000 - Library books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Children's Fiction and Children's Non-Fiction material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Reference & Foreign Language Books

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books
- 22113000 - Library books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Reference & Foreign Language Books.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

General Library Books

Lot No

4

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22113000 - Library books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and

associate members within Scotland.

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of General Library Books.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

AudioBooks



Lot No

5

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 30234300 - Compact disks (CDs)
- 22111000 - School books
- 22113000 - Library books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of AudioBooks.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will

be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Large Print Books

Lot No

6

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22113000 - Library books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Large Print Books.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921

Evaluation Methodology including IIT” document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

General Textbooks

Lot No

7

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books

- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of General Text Books.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Bright Red Publishing

Lot No

8

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 22111000 - School books
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Bright Red Publishing material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Capstone Global Library

Lot No

9

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22111000 - School books
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Capstone Global Library material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the “0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT” document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Harper Collins

Lot No

10

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 79970000 - Publishing services
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 22110000 - Printed books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Harper Collins material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**



Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Hodder Gibson

Lot No

11

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 79970000 - Publishing services
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books
- 22112000 - Textbooks

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Hodder Gibson material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Jolly Learning

Lot No

12

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 79970000 - Publishing services
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books
- 22112000 - Textbooks

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Jolly Learning material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further

12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

McGraw Hill

Lot No

13

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of McGraw Hill material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the “0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT” document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Nelson Thornes

Lot No

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Nelson Thornes material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the “0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT” document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Oxford University Press

Lot No

15

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 79970000 - Publishing services
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 22111000 - School books

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographical boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Oxford University Press material. For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available

within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Pearson Education

Lot No

16

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22112000 - Textbooks



- 22111000 - School books
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographical boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Pearson Education material. For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation

to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Prim-Ed Publishing

Lot No

17

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22111000 - School books
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographical boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Prim-Ed Publishing material. For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on

PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Rising Stars UK

Lot No

18

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22110000 - Printed books
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 22111000 - School books
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographical boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of Rising Stars UK material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations

referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

P&N Publications

Lot No

19

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 22832000 - Exercise papers
- 22112000 - Textbooks
- 22111000 - School books
- 22110000 - Printed books
- 79970000 - Publishing services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the geographic boundaries of the participating Councils and associate members within Scotland.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The products under this lot will include, but not be limited to, supply and delivery of P&N Publications material.

For further information regarding the evaluation of this lot, please refer to the "0921 Evaluation Methodology including IIT" document, available within the relevant ITT on PCS-Tender.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 25

Price - Weighting: 75

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Anticipated duration of framework is 36 months with an option to extend for up to a further 12 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any period of extension will be at the sole discretion of Scotland Excel.

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition (or any competition in relation to any lot) if they are in any of the situations referred to in Regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

---

## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-005179](#)

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

13

### **Title**

McGraw Hill

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ



Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

6

### **Title**

Large Print Books

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Ulverscroft Limited

The Green, Bradgate Road, Anstey

Leicester

LE7 7FU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF21 - Leicester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

W.F.Howes LTD

UNIT 5, ST GEORGE'S HOUSE, REARSBY BUSINESS PARK, GADDESBY LANE

LEICESTER

LE7 4YH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF21 - Leicester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,800,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

7

### **Title**

General Textbooks

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code



- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Oxford University Press

Great Clarendon Street

Oxford

OX2 6DP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

8

### **Title**

Bright Red Publishing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Bright Red Publishing Ltd

1 Torphichen Street

Edinburgh

EH3 8HX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

9

**Title**

Capstone Global Library

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford



Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

10

## **Title**

Harper Collins

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

11

### **Title**

Hodder Gibson

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country



United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Hodder Education

Carmelite House , 50 Victoria Embankment

London

EC4Y 0DZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

12

**Title**

Jolly Learning

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

14



## **Title**

Nelson Thornes

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Oxford University Press

Great Clarendon Street

Oxford

OX2 6DP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

15

### **Title**

Oxford University Press

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Oxford University Press

Great Clarendon Street

Oxford

OX2 6DP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire



The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

16

**Title**

Pearson Education

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

17

### **Title**

Prim-Ed Publishing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code



- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

18

### **Title**

Rising Stars UK

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 8

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 8

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 8

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Hodder Education

Carmelite House , 50 Victoria Embankment

London

EC4Y 0DZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

KELVIN BOOKS LTD

UNIT 57, CHAPEL ST IND ESTATE, MARYHILL, GLASGOW

GLASGOW

G20 9BSD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Waterstone's Booksellers Limited

203/206 Piccadilly, London

London

W1J 9HD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Adult Fiction and Non-Fiction Books

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Askews and Holts Library Services Ltd

218-222 North Road

Preston

PR1 1SY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom



NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Peters Limited

120 Bromsgrove Street

Birmingham

B5 6RJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG31 - Birmingham

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £12,320,000

---

**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

2

**Title**

Children's Fiction and Non-Fiction Books

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## **V.2) Award of contract**

### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Askews and Holts Library Services Ltd

218-222 North Road

Preston

PR1 1SY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Peters Limited

120 Bromsgrove Street

Birmingham

B5 6RJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG31 - Birmingham

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £11,760,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Reference & Foreign Language Books

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Askews and Holts Library Services Ltd

218-222 North Road

Preston

PR1 1SY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Star Books

Suite 4b, Floor 15, Wembley Point, 1 Harrow Road, Wembley

Wembley

HA9 6DE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,600,000

---

### **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Lot No**

4

#### **Title**

General Library Books

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### **V.2) Award of contract**

##### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

##### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

##### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**



Askews and Holts Library Services Ltd

218-222 North Road

Preston

PR1 1SY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD4 - Lancashire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Browns Books

5 Redcliff Road

Melton

HU14 3RS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

EBSCO INTERNATIONAL INC

6th Floor, Civic Centre, Silver Street

Enfield, London

EN1 3XA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Peters Limited

120 Bromsgrove Street

Birmingham

B5 6RJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG31 - Birmingham

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £22,400,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

5

### **Title**

AudioBooks

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

scotia and chameleon books ltd

17 register road

kilsyth

g65 0ds

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM84 - North Lanarkshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Ulverscroft Limited

The Green, Bradgate Road, Anstey

Leicester

LE7 7FU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF21 - Leicester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

W.F.Howes LTD

UNIT 5, ST GEORGE'S HOUSE, REARSBY BUSINESS PARK, GADDESBY LANE

LEICESTER

LE7 4YH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF21 - Leicester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,120,000

---

## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

19

### **Title**

P&N Publications

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

2 August 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Blackwell

50 Broad St, Oxford

Oxford

OX13BQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Glowworm Books & Gifts Ltd.

Unit 2, 5 Youngs Road, East Mains Industrial Estate

Broxburn

EH52 5LY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £840,000

---

## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

Scotland Excel is a central purchasing body and is procuring this framework on behalf of the following contracting authorities (and

successor bodies):

- The 32 local authorities in Scotland listed at <http://www.scotland-excel.org.uk/home/Aboutus/Ourmembers/Local-authorities.aspx>;

- Advanced Procurement for Universities and Colleges (APUC Ltd) and their member organisations across the higher and further education

sector in Scotland and their associated and affiliated bodies;

- NHS Scotland entities constituted pursuant to the National Health Service (Scotland) Act 1978 (i.e. all NHS Scotland Health Boards,

Special Health Boards and the Authority or other NHS Organisation established pursuant to the NHS (Scotland) Act 1978), any integrated

Joint Boards established pursuant to the new Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act 2014.

- Scotland Excel associate members listed at <http://www.scotland-excel.org.uk/home/Aboutus/Ourmembers/Associate-members.aspx>;

- any Integration Authority, or other body, established pursuant to the Public Bodies (Joint Working)(Scotland) Act 2014

The above is subject to each contracting authority entering into and maintaining a relevant membership agreement or other access agreement with Scotland Excel. Rebates apply to this framework. For further details, please see the Special Conditions of Contract.

(SC Ref:710137)

### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Court of Session



Edinburgh

EH1 1RQ

Telephone

+44 314443300

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

An economic operator that suffers, or risks suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 (SSI2015/446)(as amended) may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session.